**Civics and Economics Topics and Terms**

**Unit 1: Foundations of American Government**

* 3/5 Compromise
* Amend/Amendment
* American Revolution
* Anti-Federalists
* Articles of Confederation
* Basics of government (levels, branches, types, purpose)
* Boycott
* Commerce and Slave Trade Compromise
* Compromises of the Constitutional Convention
* Declaration of Independence
* Dictatorship
* Direct Democracy
* Electoral College Compromise
* English political traditions
* Enlightenment Philosophies
* Federalists vs. Anti-Federalists
* Great Compromise
* John Locke
* Magna Carta
* Mayflower Compact
* Monarchy
* Natural Rights
* New Jersey Plan
* Parliament
* Principles of American Democracy (e.g. limited government, consent of the governed, etc.)
* Ratify
* Representative Democracy
* Social Contract
* Virginia Plan

**Unit 2 The Constitution**

* 1st Amendment limitations
* Articles of the Constitution
* Bethel v. Fraser
* Bill of Rights
* Checks and Balances
* Consent of the Governed
* Double Jeopardy
* Due Process
* Elastic Clause
* Eminent Domain
* Establishment Clause
* Federalism
* Free Exercise Clause
* Grand Jury
* Hazelwood School District v. Kulhmeier
* Limited Government
* Popular Sovereignty
* Preamble
* Principles of the Constitution
* Rights of Accused Citizens
* Rule of Law
* Search Warrant
* Self-Incrimination
* Separation of Powers
* States' Rights
* Tinker v. Des Moines

**[Unit 3 - Comparative Government](http://cmapp.wcpss.net/guide/unit/id/1388)**

* Amnesty
* Annexation
* Appeal
* Appropriations
* Brief
* Bureaucracy
* Cabinet
* Checks and Balances
* City/County/Town Councils/Commissioners
* City/Town Manager
* Common Law
* Concurrent Powers
* Congress
* Council of State
* Dissenting Opinion
* District Court, Court of Appeals, Supreme Court
* Domestic Policy
* Executive Branch: Power, Structures
* Executive Order
* Expressed/Reserved/Concurrent Powers
* Federal Bureaucracy
* Federal Courts
* Foreign Policy
* General Assembly
* Governor
* House of Representatives
* Impeach
* Implied Powers
* Joint Committee
* Judicial Branch: Powers, Structure
* Judicial Review
* Jurisdiction of Courts
* Korematsu v. US
* Law Enforcement
* Legislative Branch: Power, Structure
* Mayor
* NC Courts: NC District Court, NC Superior Court, NC Court of Appeals, NC Supreme Court
* Opinion
* Pardon
* Precedent
* President
* Remand
* Reserved Powers
* Rule of Law
* Senate
* Seniority
* Standing Committee
* US v. Nixon
* Veto
* Zoning

**[Unit 4 - Politics, Elections, and Citizenship](http://cmapp.wcpss.net/guide/unit/id/1389)**

* Alien
* Bandwagon
* Caucus
* Citizen
* Closed Primary
* Duties
* Election Process
* Electoral College
* Glittering Generality
* Immigration
* Initiative
* Interest Groups
* Jury Duty
* Lobbyist
* Media
* Multi Party System
* Naturalization Process
* One Party System
* Open Primary
* Plain Folks
* Political Party
* Primary
* Propaganda
* Recall
* Referendum
* Responsibilities and Duties of Citizens
* Selective Service
* Split Ticket
* Straight Ticket
* Two Party System
* Winner-Take-All System

[**Unit 5 - Making Laws**](http://cmapp.wcpss.net/guide/unit/id/1390)

* Administrative Law
* Bill to law process
* Civil Law
* Cloture
* Conference Committee
* Constituent
* Constitutional Law
* Criminal Law
* English Common Law
* Filibuster
* Groups that influence laws (media, interest groups, businesses, constituents, etc.)
* Hammurabi’s Code
* History of Law
* International Law
* Philosophical Foundations of Law
* Pocket Veto
* Precedent
* Public Opinion
* Special Interest Group
* Standing Committee
* Statutory Law
* Tort
* Veto

**[Unit 6 - Violating the Law](http://cmapp.wcpss.net/guide/unit/id/1391)**

* Acquittal
* Appeal
* Arraignment
* Criminal vs. Civil Law
* Cruel & Unusual Punishment
* Deterrence
* Double Jeopardy
* Due Process
* Eminent Domain
* Equal Protection Clause
* Excessive Bail
* Federal Law Enforcement Agencies (FBI, OSHA)
* Furman v. Georgia
* Gideon v. Wainwright
* Gregg v. Georgia
* Indictment
* Juvenile Trials
* Local Law Enforcement Agencies (City Police, County Sherriff)
* Mapp v. Ohio
* Miranda v. Arizona
* New Jersey v. TLO
* Plea Bargain
* Preliminary Hearing
* Probable Cause
* Regulatory Agencies
* Rehabilitation v. Punishment
* Rights of the Accused
* Search Warrant
* Self-Incrimination
* Sentencing
* Settlement
* Sheriff
* Social Protection
* State Law Enforcement (SBI, State Troopers)
* Steps in Civil Trials v. Criminal Trials
* Subpoena
* Writ of Habeas Corpus

[**Unit 7 - Personal Financial Literacy**](http://cmapp.wcpss.net/guide/unit/id/1392)

* Bond
* Budgeting
* Certificate of Deposit
* Checking Account
* Consumer Product Safety Commission
* Credit Card
* Credit Report
* Debt Management
* Better Business Bureau
* Deductible
* Federal Communications Commission
* Federal Trade Commission
* Fixed vs. Variable Costs
* Government Regulations
* Gross Pay v. Net Pay
* Identity Theft
* Insurance (auto, life, health, home)
* Mortgage
* Mutual Fund
* Ponzi Scheme
* Premium
* Risk Management
* Savings v. Investing
* Stock Market

**[Unit 8 - Economic Fundamentals](http://cmapp.wcpss.net/guide/unit/id/1393)**

* Capital (Capital Goods)
* Circular Flow of the Economy
* Command Economy
* Competition
* Complements
* Consumers v. Producers
* Demand
* Economic System
* Economics
* Elastic v. Inelastic
* Entrepreneurship
* Equilibrium Price
* Factor Market
* Factors of Production
* Goods v. Services
* Labor
* Market Economy
* Market Equilibrium
* Mixed Economy
* Monopolistic Competition
* Monopoly
* Natural Resources
* Needs vs. Wants
* Oligopoly
* Opportunity Costs
* Product Market
* Production
* Scarcity
* Shortage
* Substitutes
* Supply
* Surplus
* Three Basic Economic Questions
* Trade-offs
* Traditional Economy

[**Unit 9 - Government in the Economy**](http://cmapp.wcpss.net/guide/unit/id/1394)

* Banking
* Business Cycle
* Characteristics of the NC and US economies
* Competition
* Consumer Price Index
* Depression
* Economic Indicators (GDP, CPI, Unemployment, Stock Market, etc.)
* Economic Interdependence
* Expansion
* Export
* Federal Reserve
* Fiscal Policy
* Free Trade
* Gross Domestic Product
* Import
* Inflation
* Interest Rate
* Monetary Policy
* Monopoly
* Oligopoly
* Protectionism
* Quota
* Recession
* Specialization
* Stock Market
* Tariff
* Taxation
* Unemployment

[**Unit 10 - International Economics**](http://cmapp.wcpss.net/guide/unit/id/1395)

* International Trade
* Global Interdependence
* Export v. Import
* Comparative Advantage
* Developed / Developing Nation
* European Union
* Exchange Rate
* Free Trade
* NAFTA
* Outsourcing
* Protective Tariff
* Specialization
* Quota
* Trade Deficit